Research Articles published by CSIR

1044. SHRI C.O. POULOSE: Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of research articles published in research journals published from India by the staff of each laboratory/institute of CSIR, including the CSIR (Hq), during 1994—99, year-wise?

(b) the total number of research articles published in research journals published from foreign countries country-wise, by the staff of each laboratory/institute of CSIR, including the CSIR (Hq) during 1994—99, year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) and (b) The number of research articles published by CSIR laboratories, year-wise in Science Citation Index (SCI) Journals over the five years, 1994 to 1998 are as per Annexure [See Appendix 189, Annexure No. 33] Data for 1999 cannot be given as some of the . Journals with 1999 dateline have yet to be published. The papers contributed in non-SCI Journals, Conference proceedings etc. have not been included in the table due to variability in their quality.

Relaxation in age limit for appointment of Scientists

1045. SHRI NILOTPAL BASU: Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Director General of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) is the competent authority to approve relaxation in age limit for appointment of scientists for the post of Group IV(1), group IV(2), Group IV(3) and Group IV(4) in the National Laboratories of CSIR; and

(b) if so, the name, quantum of age relaxation, subject at post graduate level, post doctoral experience, publications and the number of patents awarded—of candidates to whom the age relaxation is granted by the DG, CSIR category-wise, laboratory-wise, including the CSIR (Hq), year-wise for the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT